## RESOLUTION NO. 97-11

## RESOLUTION OF THE COUNTY COMMISSIONERS OF LAPORTE COUNTY, INDIANA AUTHORIZING THE SUBMITTAL OF THE HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FUND APPLICATION TO THE INDIANA HOUSING FINANCE AUTHORITY AND ADDRESSING RELATED MATTERS

WHEREAS, the County Commissioners of LaPorte County, Indiana recognizes the need to stimulate growth and to maintain affordable housing within its corporate limits; and

WHEREAS, the Housing and Community Development Act of 1974, as amended, authorizes the Indiana Housing Finance Authority to provide grants to local units of government to meet the affordable housing and community development needs of low and moderate income persons; and

WHEREAS, the County of LaPorte County, Indiana has conducted or will conduct public hearings prior to the submission of an application to the Indiana Housing Finance Authority, said public hearings to assess the housing, public facilities, and economic needs of low and moderate income residents;

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the County of LaPorte County, Indiana that:

- 1. The President of the County Commission is authorized to prepare and submit an application for grant funds to address conditions relating to the homeless shelter of Citizens Concerned for the Homeless, Inc., currently located at 120 W. 9<sup>th</sup> Street, Michigan City, Indiana, and to execute and administer a resultant grant including requisite general administration and project management, contracts and agreements pursuant to regulations of the Indiana Housing Authority and the United States Department of Housing and Urban Development.
- 2. That the County of LaPorte County, Indiana, hereby commits the requisite local funds in the amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars (\$30,000) comprised of revenues from private fundraising conducted by Citizens Concerned for the Homeless, Inc. as leverage funds for said program, such commitment to be contingent upon receipt of HDF funding from the Indiana Housing Finance Authority.

Adopted by the County Commissioners of the County of LaPorte County, Indiana this 23 day of 5ept, 1997at 8:30 p.m.

County of LaPorte County, Indiana

Commission President

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